

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No. 10/772,973	Applicant(s) SHANKS ET AL.	
	Examiner Henry M. Johnson, III	Art Unit 3739	

All Participants:

(1) Henry M. Johnson, III.

(2) Damond Ashcraft.

Status of Application: _____

(3) _____.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 18 January 2006

Time: 11:00

Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☒ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description: _____

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

Claims discussed:

7 and 33

Prior art documents discussed:

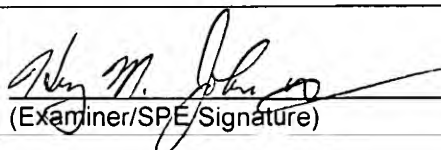
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Part II.
SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

Mr. Ashcraft agreed the '731 patent read on proposed amendments to claims 7 and 33, but has not been able to reach client for approval of changes.

Part III.

- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.


 (Examiner/SPE Signature)

 (Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)